



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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Applicant : John A. MEYER, et al.
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Title : Method and Formulation Using Passive Electrostaticity for
Improving Filter Performance

REPLY TO OFFICE ACTION

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

The following remarks are respectfully submitted in response to the Office
Action dated September 21, 2004.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which
begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 11 of this paper.